Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Friday 20 Aug 2021 until 23:59 on Saturday 21 Aug 2021

Forecast Issued on Thursday 19 Aug 2021 at 11:46

Confidence: High for unsettled weather on Friday and Saturday with rain at times, but low confidence for detail at this stage. High for settled conditions to become established from Sunday onwards.

Headline for Friday 20 Aug 2021: Rain at times, low cloud lingering through the day

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 20 Aug 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
High Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Light rain	Heavy Rain	Light rain	Light rain	Light rain
Precipitation probability							
00%	00%	00%	30%	70%	70%	70%	70%

Forecast for Friday 20 Aug 2021

Weather: Cloudy throughout the day with rain reaching the Mournes by late morning, then outbreaks of rain expected to continue for the rest of the day. Low cloud expected to be persistent.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: 30%

Visibility: Poor in low cloud, this mostly below 400 metres in the morning but thickening onto the higher tops as the afternoon progresses. Becoming widely misty by the afternoon.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	9/13 S	10/14 S	12/18 SE	19/27 S	21/31 S	25/37 S	26/38 S	21/30 S	18/27 S
300	2/7 S	3/8 SE	6/12 E	10/18 SE	12/22 S	14/26 S	15/27 S	12/22 S	11/20 S
Valley	2/6 SE	3/7 SE	5/11 E	8/17 SE	10/19 S	12/24 S	13/25 S	10/20 S	9/18 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	11/9	11/10	12/10	12/9	13/9	13/9	13/9	12/9	12/9
300	12/12	12/12	13/12	14/12	14/12	15/12	14/12	14/12	14/12
Valley	13/13	13/12	14/13	15/14	15/14	16/14	15/13	15/14	15/14
<< Freezing Level*	2600m	2900m	3200m	3300m	3300m	3300m	3300m	3200m	3000m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Despite the cloud and rain it will feel rather warm and humid. Best chance of any breaks in the cloud sheet will be across northern facing aspects in the north of the area where there is shelter from the southerly wind.

Forecast for Saturday 21 Aug 2021

Weather: A cloudy day with periods of rain through the day, although there's a chance that drier weather may develop later in the day but this is very uncertain. Feeling quite warm and humid.

Maximum wind: Southeasterly 10 mph

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: 20%

Visibility: Quite widely poor in mist and extensive low cloud down to 300 metres, there's a small chance conditions may improve later.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 14 rising to 18 Celsius
At 700m: Plus 13 Celsius
Freezing level: Above summits

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